

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1-16 (Canceled).

Claim 17 (New): A 3D character mail system for reproducing electronic mail created in a first terminal, in a second terminal, wherein

said first terminal includes an element configured to generate instruction information for expressing an input text message using a 3D font and transmitting the text message and instruction information to a server,

said server includes:

an element configured to store a 3D font;

an element configured to generate control information about a 3D font for expressing the text message on the basis of the received instruction information; and

an element configured to store the received text message and generated control information as 3D message information,

said first terminal further includes an element configured to transmit access path information to the 3D message information stored in said server to said second terminal, and

said second terminal includes an element configured to make access to said server on the basis of the access path information received from said first terminal and download the 3D message information and a corresponding 3D font, to reproduce 3D character mail.

Claim 18 (New): The 3D character mail system according to claim 17, wherein

said first terminal further includes an element configured to download the 3D message information and a corresponding 3D font from said server and reproduce 3D character mail, to thereby previously confirm a reproduced state of 3D character mail.

Claim 19 (New): A 3D character mail system for reproducing electronic mail created in a first terminal, in a second terminal, wherein

said first terminal includes:

an element configured to store a 3D font;

an element configured to generate control information about a 3D font for expressing an input text message; and

an element configured to transmit the text message, generated control information and a 3D font used to express the text message, to a server,

said server includes an element configured to store the received text message and control information as 3D message information and to store the received 3D font,

said first terminal further includes an element configured to transmit access path information to the 3D message information stored in said server, to said second terminal, and

said second terminal includes an element configured to make access to said server on the basis of the access path information received from said first terminal and download the 3D message information and a corresponding 3D font, to thereby reproduce 3D character mail.

Claim 20 (New): A 3D character mail system for reproducing electronic mail created in a first terminal, in a second terminal, wherein

said first terminal includes:

an element configured to generate control information about a 3D font for expressing an input text message; and

an element configured to transmit the text message and the generated control information to said second terminal, and

said second terminal includes an element configured to specify a 3D font necessary for reproducing 3D character mail on the basis of the text message and control information received from said first terminal and download the specified 3D font from a server, to reproduce the 3D character mail on the basis of the text message and control information received from said first terminal and the 3D font downloaded from said server.

Claim 21 (New): A 3D character mail system for reproducing electronic mail created in a first terminal, in a second terminal, wherein

said first terminal includes:

an element configured to store a 3D font;

an element configured to generate control information about a 3D font for expressing an input text message; and

an element configured to transmit the text message, the generated control information and the 3D font used to express the text message, to said second terminal, and

said second terminal includes an element configured to reproduce 3D character mail on the basis of the text message, the control information and the 3D font received from said first terminal.

Claim 22 (New): The 3D character mail system according to claim 21, wherein

said first terminal further includes an element configured to reproduce 3D character mail on the basis of the input text message, the generated control information and the 3D font, to thereby previously confirm a reproduced state of the 3D character mail.

Claim 23 (New): A 3D character mail system for reproducing electronic mail created in a first terminal, in a second terminal, wherein

said first terminal includes:

an element configured to generate control information about a 3D font for expressing an input text message; and

an element configured to transmit the text message and the generated control information to said second terminal,

said second terminal includes:

an element configured to store a 3D font; and

an element configured to reproduce 3D character mail on the basis of the text message and the control information received from said first terminal and the 3D font stored in said second terminal.

Claim 24 (New): In the 3D character mail system according to claim 20 or 23, wherein

said first terminal further includes an element configured to store a 3D font; and

an element configured to reproduce 3D character mail on the basis of the input text message, the generated control information and the 3D font stored in said first terminal, to thereby previously confirm a reproduced state of the 3D character mail.

Claim 25 (New): The 3D character mail system according to claim 19 or 21, wherein said first terminal includes a recording medium removably attached to the body of the terminal, and

a 3D font to be used in the 3D character mail is stored in said recording medium and supplied.

Claim 26 (New): The 3D character mail system according to claim 23, wherein said second terminal includes a recording medium removably attached to the body of the terminal, and
a 3D font to be used in the 3D character mail is stored in said recording medium and supplied.

Claim 27 (New): The 3D character mail system according to any one of claims 20, 21, or 23, wherein
said control information contains information specifying a font type of the 3D font to be used.

Claim 28 (New): The 3D character mail system according to any one of claims 20, 21, or 23, wherein
said control information contains a parameter for the 3D font to be used.

Claim 29 (New): The 3D character mail system according to any one of claims 20 or 21, wherein
the 3D font transmitted to said second terminal is encrypted.

Claim 30 (New): The 3D character mail system according to any one of claims 20, 21, or 23, wherein
the control information transmitted to said second terminal is encrypted.

Claim 31 (New): The 3D character mail system according to any one of claims 17, 19, 20, 21, or 23, wherein
said text message contains an icon.